Mountain Weather Forecast

Brecon Beacons National Park

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Thursday 09 Sep 2021 until 23:59 on Friday 10 Sep 2021

Forecast Issued on Wednesday 08 Sep 2021 at 14:04

Confidence: High for the main theme, falling to low for the detail and extent of showers over the next 24/48 hours.

Headline for Thursday 09 Sep 2021: Sunshine and showers, some heavy and thundery.

Mountain weather hazards on Thursday 09 Sep 2021

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy Snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Gales
No Likelihood

Severe chill effect
No Likelihood

Poor visibility
High Likelihood

Thunderstorms
High Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
Low Likelihood

Strong sunlight
Medium Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 600m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Light rain	Light rain showers (night)	Light rain showers	Thundery showers	Thundery showers	Heavy rain showers	Light rain showers	Cloudy
Precipitation probability							
60%	40%	40%	60%	50%	40%	40%	20%

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Weather: Generally cloudy with outbreaks of showery rain during the second half of the night, showers tending to ease for a time before dawn. Remaining cloudy into the morning, however showers are likely to become more numerous and frequent with some of these showers locally heavy with a risk of thunder. Similar conditions persist into the afternoon, however showers should ease somewhat from mid-afternoon. Remaining mostly cloudy into the evening.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 600m: 30% increasing to 50% from early afternoon.

Visibility: Good, outside of any rain, but quickly dropping in the showers and being poor in the heaviest showers and thunderstorms. Cloud bases from 400-500m at the start of the day but lifting above the summits during the morning, but falling to 300-400m in association with the showers and obscuring many paths and slopes.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	8/11 S	8/11 S	7/11 S	11/16 S	10/16 S	10/15 SW	9/13 SW	9/12 SW	12/16 SW
300	4/9 SW	3/8 S	3/7 SE	5/11 S	6/13 S	7/14 SW	6/13 SW	5/11 SW	6/14 SW
Valley	3/8 SW	3/7 SW	3/8 SE	5/10 SE	5/10 S	6/14 SW	6/12 SW	5/11 SW	5/13 SW

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	15/14	14/13	14/13	14/13	16/14	16/15	15/13	14/12	14/12
300	16/17	16/16	15/16	16/16	18/18	19/19	17/17	16/16	15/15
Valley	17/17	16/17	16/16	17/17	18/19	19/19	18/18	16/16	16/16
Freezing Level*	3300m	3200m	3100m	3100m	3100m	3100m	3100m	3100m	3100m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

A miserable day with a mixture of low cloud and frequent showers will make walking conditions difficult, so good footwear and waterproof clothing are recommended. In addition, with some thunderstorms in the area, conditions will be challenging at times.

Recent rainfall: measured at Neuadd: altitude 353m

Recorded at	Last 24 hours:	Last 48 hours:	Last 72 hours:
14:00 on Wed 08 Sep 2021	0mm	0.2mm	0.2mm

Forecast for Friday 10 Sep 2021

Weather: Staying unsettled and cloudy with further showers. Conditions improving as the cloud breaks up a little, offering some brighter interludes from mid-morning. However any sunny spells will trigger some heavy showers, perhaps with thunder to develop, particularly during the afternoon. Showers tending to ease from later afternoon.

Maximum wind: Westerly 10-15mpg, gusting 20-25mph.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 600m: 30% rising to 50% from late morning.

Visibility: Generally good outside of any showers, but quickly dropping in the showers and being poor in the heaviest showers and thunderstorms. Extensive cloud with bases from 500-600m during the morning, however the cloud should become more fragmented from late morning. Cloud bases falling to 200-300m in association with any showers.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 14 Celsius, rising to plus 20 Celsius.
At 600m: Plus 12 Celsius.
Freezing level: Above the summits.

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